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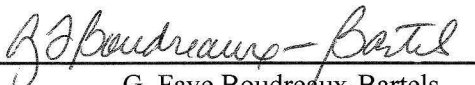
Serial Number #04-05--28

TO: President Robert L. Carothers

FROM: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled University College and General Education Committee Report #2004-05-5, is forwarded for your consideration.
2. The original and two copies for your use are included.
3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on April 21, 2005.
4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Governors, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
5. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective May 12, 2005 three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; (3) you forward it to the Board of Governors for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Governors, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

April 22, 2005  
(date)

  
G. Faye Boudreaux-Bartels  
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

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ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

Returned.

- a. Approved ☒
- b. Approved subject to final approval by Board of Governors \_\_\_\_.
- c. Disapproved \_\_\_\_.

5/9/05  
(date)

  
President

**University College and General Education Committee**  
**Report #2004-05-5**  
**Additions to the General Education Program**

The University College and General Education Committee considered the following matters at their meeting of April 7, 2005. They are now presented to the Faculty Senate for confirmation.

**I. English Communication - General (EC)**

The UCGE Committee recommends that the Faculty Senate approve the following course for the (EC) area of the General Education program:

PHL 101 Critical Thinking (EC) (reading complex texts, using qualitative data, using quantitative data)

**II. Fine Arts and Literature Core Area (A)**

The UCGE Committee recommends that the Faculty Senate approve the following courses for the (A) area of the General Education program:

MUS 292 Concert Band [repeated for a total of 3 credits] (A) (*engaging in artistic activity, reading complex texts, examining human differences*) Diversity

MUS 293 University Chorus [repeated for a total of 3 credits] (A) (*engaging in artistic activity, reading complex texts, examining human differences*) Diversity

**III. Letters Core Area (L)**

The UCGE Committee recommends that the Faculty Senate approve the following course for the (L) area of the General Education program:

HPR 201 for fall 05 Honors Colloquium - "Contemporary Sports: Healthy Pursuit or Obsession" (*reading complex texts, examining human differences, writing effectively*) Diversity

**IV. Social Sciences Core Area (S)**

The UCGE Committee recommends that the Faculty Senate approve the following courses for the (S) area of the General Education program:

HPR 201 for fall 05 Honors Colloquium - "Contemporary Sports: Healthy Pursuit or Obsession" (*reading complex texts, examining human differences, writing effectively*) Diversity

PSY 255 Health Psychology (S) (*reading complex texts, examining human differences, using information technology*) Diversity